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CASE NO. FC01402

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Application of:

John W. Davis et al.

Application No. 09/981,197

Filed: October 16, 2001

For: INSERT MOLDING APPARATUS AND METHOD

Art Unit: 1722

Examiner: R. B. Davis

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action mailed on May 7, 2003 for the subject application, applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendment and consideration of the appended remarks.

The following listing of the claims incorporates amendments presented by this response.